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For: **Cloned and Engineered Plants and Method of Use for Bioremediation**

Appl. No. 10/069,098; Filed: October 26, 2001

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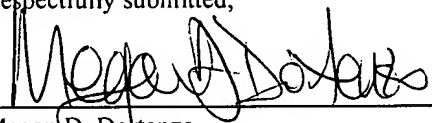
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For: **Cloned and Engineered Plants and Method of Use for
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Inventor: Suzanne D. Rogers
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Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Amendment and Response;
2. PTO 1083 (in duplicate);
3. Information Disclosure Statement (in duplicate);
4. PTO 1449 (with 10 references); and
5. One (1) return post card.

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